

Program: BE Biotechnology Engineering

Curriculum Scheme: Revised 2016

Examination: Second Year Semester IV

Course Code: BTC402 and Course Name: Molecular Genetics

Time: 1 hour

Max. Marks: 50

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| Q.1       | This force can stabilize a DNA double-helix   |
| Option A: | Hydrophilic sugar-phosphate groups are found on the exterior of the helix where interaction with water occurs                 |
| Option B: | Hydrophobic bases are present in the interior of the helix, each base-pair is stabilized by the same number of hydrogen bonds |
| Option C: | covalent base stacking interactions may take place between neighboring bases within the same strand in the helix              |
| Option D: | non-covalent N-glycosidic bonds may form between nitrogenous bases in opposite strands in the helix                           |
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| Q.2       | If you suddenly observe linkage between two genes that are present in two chromosomes, this can be due to _____               |
| Option A: | Coupling  |
| Option B: | Translocation   |
| Option C: | Inversion   |
| Option D: | Non-homologous end joining  |
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| Q.3       | Fluorescent signal strength depends on  |
| Option A: | Probe labelling efficiency  |
| Option B: | Nick translation  |
| Option C: | Repeats of DNA  |
| Option D: | Intermediate RNA-DNA hybrids  |
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| Q.4       | DNA helicase enzyme involved in base excision repair is _____   |
| Option A: | DNA helicase I  |
| Option B: | DNA helicase II   |
| Option C: | DNA helicase III  |
| Option D: | DNA helicase IV   |
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| Q.5       | 70S prokaryotic ribosome is the complex of _____  |
| Option A: | 30S + 50S   |
| Option B: | 30S + 40S   |
| Option C: | 20S + 60S   |
| Option D: | 20S + 30S   |
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| Q.6       | The wobble hypothesis was devised by _____  |

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| Option A: | Arthur Kornberg   |
| Option B: | Francis Crick   |
| Option C: | James Watson  |
| Option D: | William Asbury  |
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| Q.7       | Lac Operon will be turned on when   |
| Option A: | Lactose is less than glucose  |
| Option B: | Lactose is less in the medium   |
| Option C: | Lactose is more than glucose  |
| Option D: | Glucose is enough in the medium   |
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| Q.8       | DNA replication in the two strands proceed in opposite direction as they are aligned oppositely with respect to 3' and 5' ends<br>( 5'-----3'<br>3'-----5').<br>In this context which of the following is true. |
| Option A: | The two arms of the DNA Pol are exactly same with same orientation  |
| Option B: | The two arms of the DNA Pol are exactly same with opposite orientation  |
| Option C: | The two arms of the DNA Pol have different catalytic mechanism i.e. one polymerizes 3' -> 5' other 5' -> 3'   |
| Option D: | The two arms are isomers i.e. they have different arrangement of the subunits.  |
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| Q.9       | Individuals with Turner's syndrome inherit what chromosomes?  |
| Option A: | XX  |
| Option B: | XO  |
| Option C: | XXY   |
| Option D: | XXX   |
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| Q.10      | Capping of RNA is necessary as _____  |
| Option A: | It helps us distinguish 5' from 3' end  |
| Option B: | It has a rolling action and condenses the transcript as it is produced  |
| Option C: | To protect the transcript from exonuclease  |
| Option D: | To prevent the transcript from sticking to DNA  |
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| Q.11      | The enzyme involved in amino acid activation  |
| Option A: | ATP synthetase  |
| Option B: | Aminoacyl tRNA synthetase   |
| Option C: | Aminoacyl mRNA synthetase   |
| Option D: | Aminoacyl rRNA synthetase   |
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| Q.12      | How many prokaryotic DNA polymerases have 5'->3' proofreading activity?   |
| Option A: | 1   |
| Option B: | 2   |
| Option C: | 3   |
| Option D: | 4   |
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| Q.13      | Mark the INCORRECT statement about minisatellites.  |
| Option A: | Tandemly repeated DNA   |
| Option B: | Form clusters up to 20kb in length  |
| Option C: | Shorter clusters  |
| Option D: | Found in the centromere region  |
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| Q.14      | Color of the skin in humans is regulated by   |
| Option A: | polygenic effect  |
| Option B: | lethal genes  |
| Option C: | multiple genes  |
| Option D: | incomplete dominance  |
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| Q.15      | The number of chromosomes a child with Down syndrome has is   |
| Option A: | 45  |
| Option B: | 46  |
| Option C: | 47  |
| Option D: | 48  |
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| Q.16      | Cyclin-CDK complex (here considering S cyclin) when active is responsible for phosphorylating several proteins and this often marks them for destruction by ubiquitination. What would be its effect on Cdt activity? |
| Option A: | Activation  |
| Option B: | Inactivation  |
| Option C: | Destruction   |
| Option D: | Increased synthesis   |
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| Q.17      | The eukaryotic initiation codon recognizes_____   |
| Option A: | f-Met-tRNA-f-Met  |
| Option B: | Met-tRNA <sup>i</sup> -Met  |
| Option C: | f-Met-tRNA <sup>i</sup> -Met  |
| Option D: | f-Met-tRNA-Met  |
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| Q.18      | Which of these properties do not agree with trp operon attenuator?  |
| Option A: | It brings about repression of trp operon  |
| Option B: | It consists of one stem loop system   |
| Option C: | It has two codons for tryptophan in sequence  |
| Option D: | Ribosome stalls at the attenuator   |
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| Q.19      | Lack of independent assortment of two genes is due to   |
| Option A: | recombination   |
| Option B: | crossing over   |
| Option C: | linkage   |
| Option D: | repulsion   |
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| Q.20      | The catalytic unit of RNA polymerases when placed properly during initiation is just over _____   |

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| Option A: | -1 site  |
| Option B: | 0 site   |
| Option C: | +1 site  |
| Option D: | - 10 sites   |
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| Q.21      | A Lac repressor is a tetramer repressed when bound to the inducer. The trp repressor is a _____  |
| Option A: | Dimer inactivated when bound to the inducer  |
| Option B: | Dimer activated on inducer binding   |
| Option C: | Tetramer inactivated on inducer binding  |
| Option D: | Tetramer activated on inducer binding  |
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| Q.22      | What is the final factor in eukaryotes that releases the peptide and ribosome?   |
| Option A: | eRRF   |
| Option B: | EF2  |
| Option C: | RF3  |
| Option D: | RF4  |
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| Q.23      | In an experiment you use RNA polymerase without its sigma factor for transcription. What will be the result that you observe?  |
| Option A: | More transcription   |
| Option B: | Less transcription   |
| Option C: | More specific transcription  |
| Option D: | More random transcription  |
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| Q.24      | After cross-fertilization of true-breeding tall and dwarf plants, the F <sub>1</sub> generation was self-fertilized. The resultant plants have genotype in the ratio |
| Option A: | 1:2:1 (homozygous tall: heterozygous tall: dwarf)  |
| Option B: | 1:2:1 (heterozygous tall: homozygous tall: dwarf)  |
| Option C: | 3:1 (tall: dwarf)  |
| Option D: | 3:1 (dwarf: tall)  |
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| Q.25      | Which of the following equation shows DNA renaturation reaction?   |
| Option A: | Sec 60   |
| Option B: | Cot <sub>1/2</sub>   |
| Option C: | Tan 30   |
| Option D: | Cot 40   |